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Budj's Finnish noticeably weaker than I. I. SERGEYEV's.
Knows Flandish rather well. (See ref [OF:1] 3800 under Misc.)
Budj speaks no English.

Source said subj stated he had attended secondary school and the Language Institute.

When [Lohwater] showed subj photo of his children, subj became quite emotional and almost wept. Remark is that he and his wife have wanted to have children for past 6 yrs., but have had no success. Agreed to leave at Source, but after somewhat ruthless interview with some 120 mothers who were begging him to allow return of their sons from SMC, appeared quite stern. Source thought subj was hard Commie, although he admired the material accomplishments of US. Feels subj is very much a Sov Commie and is not respectable. Very pleasant and trivial with good sense of humor.

extremely congenial and likeable in his play as playing the part of the Negro.

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22 July 57

1. [EDIPER-20 said Subj's face was familiar to him; when given the name source said there was a Lt. Col. GOLDBECK in the KGB (now KGB). Source did not know which directorate he was in - might be technical section - but knew that he was a "fairly high does." Source could not recall whether he had ever seen Subj so does not know if this is the same person.

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[CRA] 2572
19 Oct 57
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2. Early Aug 57, Subj called on [VALERY] and asked that [V] burn him in adv. of any int'l official care that it be regard from Finland & he would immediately flee to US if at the time left quickly & immediately. V told Subj in short & clear manner, "Since when does a little [V] the rank of Lt. Col. scare you?" If he is so powerful as to remove officials from his country free flight if you are really that powerful, who are we? What are your real feelings here in [V]?" Subj started - did not finish the question. [Sgt] Comment: Subj's question interesting in view of RUMBLE oper. Trying to determine date of chat.)

01 for [EDIPER-19 item.]

01 contacts

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Lohvater

1. Source invited to give lectures on math in USSR. Soon after receiving the invitation, he and wife were in bar of Malachki restaurant when Subj and Frau RAEMKE, a Finn Commiss, came up to his table and introduced themselves. Subj mentioned source's earlier trip to USSR. Subj told source to come to Sov Emb next day to meet the Cultural Attaché, who could arrange to get source to USSR and back without cost. Source invited Subj and RAEMKE to his home for dinner following evening. Subj accepted. Subj paid entire bill. When source went to Sov Emb next day met Party VORONOV and Subj, also SERGEYEV. V. invited himself to dinner with Subj at source's home. Subj, VORONOV and wife went to source's for dinner, bearing many presents. RAEMKE did not come. Subj told source "this RAEMKE is a swine." Felt that it necessary to see these Finn Commiss politically but that they cannot be trusted.

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Lohvater

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[CRA] 2082

26 Nov 56

[CRA] 2110

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26 Nov 57

[CRA] 2115

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[CRA] 2774

22 Aug 57

1. Source believed Ivan Yu. SERGEYEV to be Subj's chief.
 2. See [OPH] 1282, [CRA] 1792, [CRA] 1813, which pre-date the debriefing of Arthur J. Lohvater (Debriefing clarifies some of the points)
 3. One Miss OULUS, b. 1907, arr Finland via Tainittala 5 Nov 56 "to reside permanently". Possibly Subj's wife??
 4. [VACCINE] invited to a farewell lunch for Ivan Yefimovich SERGEYEV (known KGB who used title of Consul in Finland at times) 17 Dec 56. Also present was (frau) OULUS, who was introduced as the new Consul. (Hqs note: assume this is Subj). Subj has been in Finland circa 1950.
 5. Subj presented calling cards to CP officers. Now officially listed as I. Y. SERGEYEV's replacement.
 6. Subj & wife on Sov Emb list of Mar 57.
 7. Subj & wife on Dip List Jan 57.
 8. Subj & wife on Dip List of July 57.

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He was a good man, and I am sorry he had to go.

1920) - and contact w/ Fred Smith & Boggs (P.A. - 1920), who
had been a member of the same congressional delegation to the 1920
U.S. Senate (Chair, P.R. Subc), and James McMillan w/ whom he had a recent
meeting. Smith stated that this was his opinion on the matter and
that he would have nothing to do with it, etc.

for elaboration, see A to Z of the subject.

PN 3080
Jan 58
In mid-December, VAKT unit told VAKTIL [] the following which []
passed to [] statico. OCLUB had recently complained to Johannes VIRGELAINEN
that the Finns security police were not paying any attn to cases of British
& American espionage in Finland, adding that the Soviets had info regarding
Western espionage in Finland and would be glad to furnish it to the security
police. OCLUB said some of the western cases were old & some new. Did not
elaborate. Source did not say what VIRGELAINEN's reply was to OCLUB.
[] then said it would behove KIS officers to take to be as careful as
possible cause it quite possible security police would receive orders to keep
their eyes sharply peeled for cases involving Finnish citizens. Pendleton
briefed all senior CEARL people. OCLUNIT man said he had read a warning
few days earlier from a friendly Finnish officer that another OCLUNIT officer
had been seen too frequently driving a Volkswagen w/dipl plates around
freight yards of Helsinki. (This was OCLUNIT's energetic factory & freight car
marking program.) The OCLUNIT man said his family had noticed Finnish policemen
on the beat outside his house had recently begun to go to phone booth & make
a call every time the senior OCLUNIT man left his house and drove towards town.
Everyone took warning seriously. [] to tell us any further developments.

SCOTT LAKOTA

~~22 Sept 97~~ Subj dptd Hale for Moscow by rail 22 Sep 97.

22 [THA] 372. Subj left Field w/ready in early Sep and has not
been seen since.

101. ~~RECEIVED~~ TPA 27/5 Subj: AIR MAIL from Moscow 8 Nov 57. No section. Nov 57.

Subj's wife arr Final Probate 5 Jan 1938
Jan 58

2015 Oct 3rd to variation T.R. on 25 June. (See)

Subj & wife on Dip. List of July 1958.
pl List Subj & wife on dip. list.

Subj & wife on June 1959 Dipl. List.

22 [WHA] b233 Sub and wife on 1st Nov at 11st

A black and white, high-contrast portrait of a man. He has short, dark hair styled upwards. His eyes are dark and focused forward. He has a straight nose and thin lips set in a neutral or slightly stern expression. He is wearing a dark suit jacket over a light-colored shirt and a dark tie. The background is plain and light-colored. The overall quality is that of a mid-20th-century newspaper or magazine print.

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even though [S] doesn't help him. For example, he knows that Okkari VAINIKKO and Antti HÄKÄRÖ are in Raasparanta. He has photo documents & knows that an American Captain (G. did not remember name) said, while he was drunk, that the detective WESTERBERG is his friend and has the job of keeping track of Soviets. He knew that there was a big of Scandinavian Security chiefs in Helsinki Nov & Dec 1941 (Sweden) & JENSEN (Denmark) & the Lon chief attended. (7) Said this was the American military has 15 persons working for them in Helsinki although only 7 appear in the Corps Diplomatic.

Col. Björk, the Amer Mil Att., is the man who calls the shots for Amer espionage. At one point in the talk (7) Said he took G. to task for having interests w/a diplomat's job. G. protested that his interests were purely diplomatic & in normal consular duties.

Contacts continued

OELIB, Grigory V.

- 22 [OFH] 3615
23 Feb 58
Subject, Soviet General who replaced Col. KROKHIN, was the liaison
Consular Corps, which had previously had no Sino-Soviet diplomatic representative,
in the fall of 1957. Since the Consular Corps is not representative of a
"Western" body, the Soviets had no valid reason to re-enter him entry. As
far as is known, no other Sino-Soviet diplomatic representative has followed
MURK into the Corps.
- 22 [OFH] 3694
30 Dec 58
Costille, KUBARK, attended a Consular Corps luncheon on 10 Dec 58—during
luncheon C. was introduced as new Vice-consul from U.S.—after lunch OELIB came
directly up to Costille, introduced himself and asked C. to join him at his
table for coffee and cognac. Subj was extremely friendly and proceeded to ask
the usual PRC-type questions, such as Costille's home in States, how long he'd
been in Finl, did he have a dipl title, etc. Subj mentioned that his wife was
in the Sov Union and that he was living alone in his apt. Subj speaks no English
so Finnish was used.
(Note—comment: A photo name is w/this dispatch—Costille, OELIB and 6 others.
Photo sent to SR/2/T for filing.)
- 22 [OFH] 3800
13 Mar 59
On 13 Feb Costille was invited to lunch by OELIB; lunch lasted for 3 hrs.
(For details see OELIB's 201 folder in which this ref is filed.) or see copy
in Finland's chrono.)
- 22 [OFH] 3819
20 Mar 59
[OFH] 3859
17 Apr 59
Result of Costille's (KUBARK) USSR Trip. See chrono in Finland.
- 22 [FMS] 220
18 19930
23 May 59
[REPAINTS/3] ret'd to Hels 16 May. She on same train Leningrad to Hels w/OELIB
who said he accompanied Sov writer to Leningrad. Source & Subj discussed
current events and Subj's views Sov interest Finl. [AK/3] stated Subj friendly,
helpful during baggage check and did not appear suspicious her trip. Subj
has phoned [AK/3] twice for lunch since return. She not able go but intends
accept next offer.
FIIS [VALINKA] said Subj went Leningrad to meet Sov Internal Security Police
Reps re security measures KHRUSHCHEV Scandinavia trip.
- 22 [OFH] 3900
12 May 59
On 4 May Subj phoned Costille (KUBARK) for lunch that day. Most of the time we
spent on polite conversation and no political topics were discussed. Subj asked
C. about his home and family in the States and his vacation plans. Subj mentioed
that he was not going to be able to take a vacation this summer as he had hoped
When C. asked him why, he gave the reason that the Amb, whom Subj described as
still being new and not quite sure of himself yet, had told him he wanted him
to remain in Hels as he was the only person of officer rank in the Consular
Section. (Comment: Maybe it's cause KHRUSHCHEV is coming to Hels this summer.
Not once during the lunch did the subject mentioned in refs (C's trip to USSR
and treatment accorded him) come up. (For any further comments see Finl chrono)
- 22 [OFH] 3997
8 May 1959
Recently Subj has been making efforts to invite younger members of the
Western embassies to lunch or to view Soviet movies playing at local movie
houses. Subj invited Howard B. Singleton (Canadian), Aydin Iagva (Turk)
, another Soviet - Makayev - at these two luncheons acting as interpreter,
Costille was just interrupted by a phone call from Subj inviting him to
lunch. [REPAINTS/3]
- 22 [OCOA] 3745
21 Apr 59
[REPAINTS/3] asked for info on OELIB & B. MAKAYEV, saying that both Soviet officials
have been in social contact w/mbrs of the [SPASLE] Legation in Hels. This contact
initiated by OELIB was allegedly to inquire about [SPASLE] immigration procedure.
MAKAYEV acted as O's interpreter throughout the mtg. [SPASLE] has a trace in their
files referring to OELIB as Soviet Intell Officer acting as liaison man w/the
Finnish Security Police.

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On the evening of 10 Sept [T] [] were at dinner at [] dinner and could not resist the urge to bring up the KIIS-Torreyson case. He had read the entire transcript which had been prepared by one of his men and had subsequently talked to KIIS on D1's initiative. KIIS had called him & invited him to lunch and had described the incident at the airport quite, factually, but [] D1 placed very little credence in the accuracy of the account. D1 said that in view of the fact that the six American athletes were left behind to await visas, he could well understand that Torreyson had needed [] for the point of exaggeration. He does not believe that anything further will come of the case. Certainly the Ministry of Interior claims to forget about it unless a new protest comes from the Soviet Ambassador. QMHR told [] that D1 [] had behaved stupidly in the whole affair and has been recalled to the Soviet "Union." [] (he has already departed) QMHR also stated that [] is a worried and upset man. Apparently the Soviets, or at least KIIS, do not believe [] full story, and to [] The reason for this doubtfulness is that when the signing incident occurred [] had been speaking Finnish to Torreyson. QMHR thought it strange that [] who speaks Finnish well, should not use that language in speaking to Torreyson, who also has a fair command of Finnish.

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Odessa and its Environs

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17 Oct 59

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- [CPKA] 3259 On 13 Apr Costille (CPKA) had lunch w/Subj at which time C's treatment
17 Apr 59 in the Soviet Union [CPKA] 3410 was brought up. For details of this
lengthy report, see [CPKA] chronos.
- [CPKA] 3981 Detailed report on Subj's contacts w/[AEPAINTER/3] and [AEPLINTER/3]. See
10 Jul 59 dispatch in his 201 folder.
- [CPKA] 316 Partic. noticeable has been virtual cessation of attempts by CPKA/Subj
Hals 6 Nov 59 to meet and entertain the Am Vice Consul, who had been subject to almost
weekly telephone calls and invitations during the spring and early summer.
Subj's new retirement dates from Aug. 15 when he was entertained by Am Vice
Consul at a dinner in a Hals dance-restaurant. Since that time Subj
has called the Vice Consul only once to take him to lunch on Oct. 12.
- [CPKA] 4223 Bringing him up to date re CPKA/S-KLUB relationships. Continue to see
united each other on weekly basis, etc. For details see dispatch in his 201 file.

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ANSWER, Category 10.

22 (cont'd) 1000
17 Mar 59
Costille (KEK) said that G.I.'s Spanish is excellent and that he wants to know no English. However, when I was having difficulty w/Finnish, G.I.'s was able to put those English words into Spanish.

22 (cont'd) 1000
12 Mar 59
Subj told Costille (KEK) that he had been in Finl now for about four years and that he had been enjoying himself very much and liked Finl and the Finns. He said that he was glad that he did not speak English as he would then probably be sent to England or the U.S., which in his opinion were too far from his home in the Soviet Union. According to Subj, this made travel home, as well as phone calls, too expensive. When Costille asked him where he would like to be sent next, he answered Moscow. He stated that over three years was too long to be away from one's country.

2 [REDACTED] 172 - [REDACTED] from one's country.
in 39036 Sources: Firm critical in Ministry of Interior
1 Apr 59 On 26 March GOUB, Sov Consul in Helsinki, said KIRKILAEKOV planning for unofficial
Sovinform visit to Finland at end his Scandinavian trip in late August. GOUB hoped there
would be no Soviet spy cases made public to bedevil visit. (Source comment:
Two such cases presently under preparation by [REDACTED])

20 4218 Station submitted same form to U.S. Consulate in Berlin and citizenship
27 Nov 59 which had been given to the U.S. Consulate by RUMS. (This document: The form
initially went to SB from RUMS; they did not come into W/1/55)

CPRA 4237
2 8 Dec 59
GALDX/6

On 1 Dec Source said that SCUB had told VASIVI that a Western agent, who crossed the Finno-Soviet border near Istra on 13 May 1959 had been arrested and was being held by the Soviets. SCUB did not reveal the name of the agent, but said that he had been trained in Austria. To the station's knowledge, there have been no 8000X migrations run via Finland by the KGB since 1953. Does Eng know of any FBI agents who disappeared in May? Or is SCUB making up the story? (See TE invitation for answer.)

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11 Dec 59
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up the story. We do divisional work.
I would like to info given in GULF 37, above. On 9 Dec about 1030 hrs []
called Feeding ("F-13") at [] time and said that he would like to see us on
an urgent matter - sent him half an hour later, and he related the following:
GCLUB had reported to [] that a western agent had been arrested in the
Sov Union near Leningrad, but on the Sov side of the border. [] had said that
the agent had been recruited in Switzerland and dispatched across the border
on 19 May of 1950. The agent had come to Helsinki on 17 May and his cover was by a
man described as between 35 and 40 yrs old, about 160 cm. tall; the man's coded
name spoke good English and passable Finnish. This man had driven the agent
across the Finns border in a Soviet auto, bearing license plate 15-146. []
had also stated that he had been recruited by []'s (unilateral or
otherwise) and was now working for [].

D [REDACTED] investigated and found that the car was owned by [REDACTED] a Communist [REDACTED] [REDACTED] time and brought therefore that [REDACTED] might be involved. He worked to warn us, so called Poodine. Poodine checked out 3 military attaches' office wine results and then went to [REDACTED] to find out if he had ever loaned his car for any such trips or visits which involved indirectly. Negative answer. Poodine thinks the whole story is provocation, concocted by the Soviets and set afoot thru SCUB to serve as a counter-balance to recent revelations of Sov espionage in Finl. (See attached rec'd for 11 Dec 51) (sic). Poodine goes on to say that it is interesting that the Communist newspaper Laisen [REDACTED] carried an editorial for the 11th of Dec accusing the American soldiers of [REDACTED] investigating cases of missing captures. (REDACTED)

22 carried an affidavit on the 1st of Dec accusing the Sheriff's police of investigating cases of missing persons. "The
[redacted] 13223 Sheriff's office was informed and supported the affair of [redacted]
initiated about 6 months. I was advised that the investigation had been made for about 6 months.
same as it was before 12-1-48, and that was filed in the Sheriff's office.
FBI - San Francisco, California, USA.

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COLIB, Grigoriy Ye.

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Dec 58

Subj suspected of belonging to the KGB.

On 21 May [VALDKO] was informed by COLIB that he (O.) had been summoned to Leningrad for a stg w/a repn of the Soviet Internal Security Police (presumably MVD). While there, COLIB had been instructed to determine what security precaution the Police of Sweden, Norway and Denmark plan to take to insure the safety of KRUSHCHEV during his August visit to the Scand countries. During the conversation, O. was very critical of his Soviet colleagues in Stockholm, Oslo and Copenhagen, for their failure to develop close relations w/repns of the Security Police of those countries. O. was worried not only about his own inability to develop the info requested, but also for the safety of K. during this trip. O. did not know for sure whether K. would visit Finland on this trip, but believed that if he did, it would occur after the visit to the other 3 countries, and that any visit to Finl would be purely unofficial.

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